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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir/Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This document is submitted in response to the Office Action dated April 6, 2009. A Petition for Extension of Time for two (2) months, from July 6, 2009 to, and including, Tuesday September 8, 2009 is submitted herewith. Applicants note that September 6, 2009 is a Sunday and September 7, 2009 is a holiday (Labor Day).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 6 of this paper.